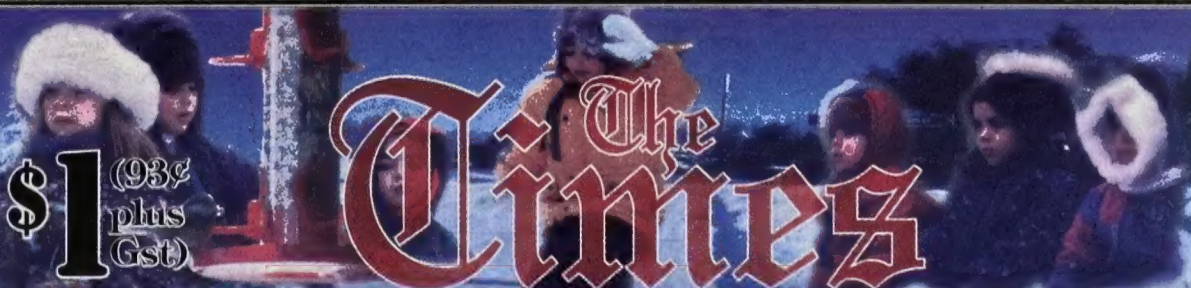


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A SALUTE TO ROBBIE BURNS: Andrew and Breanne Mansfield were just two of many performers who paid tribute to the great Scottish poet Robbie Burns Friday evening. They were participating in the Burns Night sponsored by the Haliburton Highlanders Pipes and Drums at the Haliburton Legion. In addition to Highland and country dancing, the audience was treated to the music of the pipes and drums, piping in of the haggis and a buffet. The address to the Haggis was delivered by Bill Elliott.

Performing arts theatre construction begins

The theatre the performing arts community and its supporters have been waiting for is finally under construction.

Work started earlier this month on the conversion of a former gymnasium at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School to a 230 seat performing arts theatre. The committee overseeing the project has also announced the name of the new facility. It will be known as the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion.

"Finally, after 20 years we are going to get a theatre the community can be proud of," committee member Caryl Moulton said as she stood among the dust and debris in the old gymnasium. "From a Highlands Little Theatre point of view, and for all performing groups, this is an important day."

A performing arts theatre for the Highlands has been a dream for many groups, not only Highlands Little Theatre. Almost two years ago that vision moved from a dream onto the long road to reality. When the school board received approval for a number of ma-

ior additions, including a new triple gymnasium, hopes were revived to convert the old gymnasium into a proper theatre.

For years the stage in the building was home to theatrical productions, musical presentations and other entertainment events. While the performers struggled with limited backstage facilities, gerrymandered lighting and an inadequate performance space the audience attempted to remain comfortably seated on stacking chairs, struggling with poor sight lines and difficult acoustics. All the groups which used the facility dreamed of a venue which would include the proper theatre infrastructure and provide an enjoyable and comfortable experience for the audience.

While the renovation at the high school provided an opportunity for the inclusion of a theatre, the project had to be dropped when provincial budget restraints limited the scope of the work. The performing arts community in the Highlands was not deterred

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DREAMS DO COME TRUE:

Tom Robinson, Caryl Moulton and Curtis Eastmure examine the plans in the space that will soon become the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion at HHSS.



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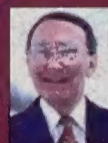
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RED HAWK WELCOME: Haliburton Highlands Secondary School welcomed the public to the formal opening of the high school's new triple gymnasium, science wing and administrative offices. Director of Education Evelyn Brown, School Board Chair Cheryl Murdoch, MPP Chris Hodgson, Principal Gary Brohman and former Haliburton Director Brad Saunders cut the ribbon to mark the opening.

HHSS additions officially opened

The bleachers of the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School gym were packed January 16. The occasion was not a basketball game or other sporting event. The crowd was there to celebrate the official opening of the newly built gym, the science wing and administration and guidance offices.

Principal Gary Brohman was very excited about the new facility. "This is really an important day for us," said Brohman. "I want to thank the people who had the vision of what was best for the students of Haliburton County."

The high school has been undergoing extensive construction since the fall of 1997. The work included the construction of a triple gymnasium, five new science labs, and the redesign of the administrative, guidance and special education offices. The additions were badly needed, in particular the science wing which had not been updated since 1960. As well the three old labs no longer met the propane safety standards.

Construction has now been focused on the old existing gyms which will be converted into a community theatre and cafeteria.

Brohman expressed his appreciation to many groups and individuals for their efforts in building

the new facilities, including the former Haliburton County Board of Education, School Board Chair Cheryl Murdoch, school board administrators Jim Bradley and Dale Robinson, former director of education Brad Saunders, current director of education Evelyn Brown and the new Trillium Lakelands District School Board trustees, Morgan Construction and the staff and students of the high school.

Brohman told the audience the HHSS school teams now have a new name. Athletic teams representing the high school will now be known as the Red Hawks.

School Board Chair Cheryl Murdoch was also pleased with the final outcome. "It's a great day. I must confess that over the last few years I wondered if we would ever stand here in this facility. It was worth the wait," said Murdoch. She also thanked Gary Brohman for his dedication to the project.

MPP Chris Hodgson was also on hand to offer congratulations on the new facilities. He thanked the community for, "...sharing the vision that our students come first."

After the formal ribbon cutting, the public was invited to tour the new buildings, as well as purchase mugs and t-shirts bearing the new Red Hawks logo.

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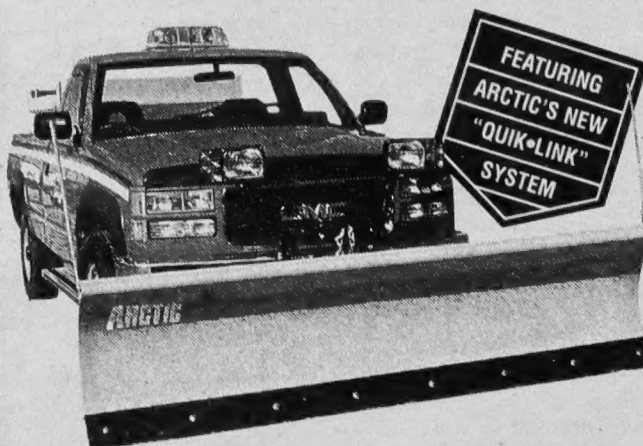
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Performing arts theatre one step closer

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however, and following a series of negotiations, an agreement was reached between the board of education, the theatre committee and the contractor that the facility could be incorporated into the building if the funding was raised from the public.

With the challenge before them, the committee embarked on a fund-raising effort inviting corporation and local supporters to endow a seat in the new facility. Led by Linda Beachli and David Gray, the campaign was extremely successful with the "seat sale" bringing in some \$275,000, enough to cover the cost of the renovations.

Most of the money was in hand by late last fall and it became a matter of waiting for the high school's new triple gymnasium to be completed so work could begin on converting the old facility into a theatre. The new gym opened when classes resumed in January and the workmen moved in to start the project.

The theatre project received an extra boost last week when Victoria Haliburton MPP Chris Hodgson announced that the Ministry of Citizenship, Culture and Recreation would contribute \$160,000 for the project. "We were very pleased with the announcement," theatre committee chair Curtis Eastmure said. "The money we had raised would cover the renovations and give us a theatre space, but it left very little for many of the 'extras' which enhance a theatre." He said \$20,000 of the funding would be used to help sort out the governance issues surrounding the theatre. The facility will be owned by the school board and used for school purposes during the day, but will be available to performing arts groups on week nights, weekends and during the summer. The remainder, \$140,000, is to be spent on lighting, sound equipment, drapes and other equipment which will enhance the theatre.

Plans are already under way for the grand opening of the facility. The Northern Lights Overture, as the program will be called, is scheduled for June 17-20. "We plan to invite all non-professional groups from across the Highlands to be a part of this gala opening," Moulton said. "We will be hiring a professional director to co-ordinate the performance and weave the various acts together into a gala production."

The committee has already advertised for the director's position and is considering a number of applicants.

Moulton said she hopes that as many groups and individuals as possible can be represented in what will be a variety show to mark the opening. An invitation for groups to be involved should be circulated soon with a meeting planned for February 7, at which time the show's concept will be explained.

Moulton noted that with a limit of 230 seats in the theatre, the gala opening will in fact be held over four performances. Each performance will be a gala, with the same performers taking part each night. A buffet for entertainers and members of the audience will follow each performance.

Sometime in the next month, individuals and corporations which have endowed a seat in the new theatre will receive a letter asking if they wish to reserve it for any of the opening gala performances. They will have first call on the seats, but must pay the \$25 admission price. In March, the remaining seats will be sold to the general public.

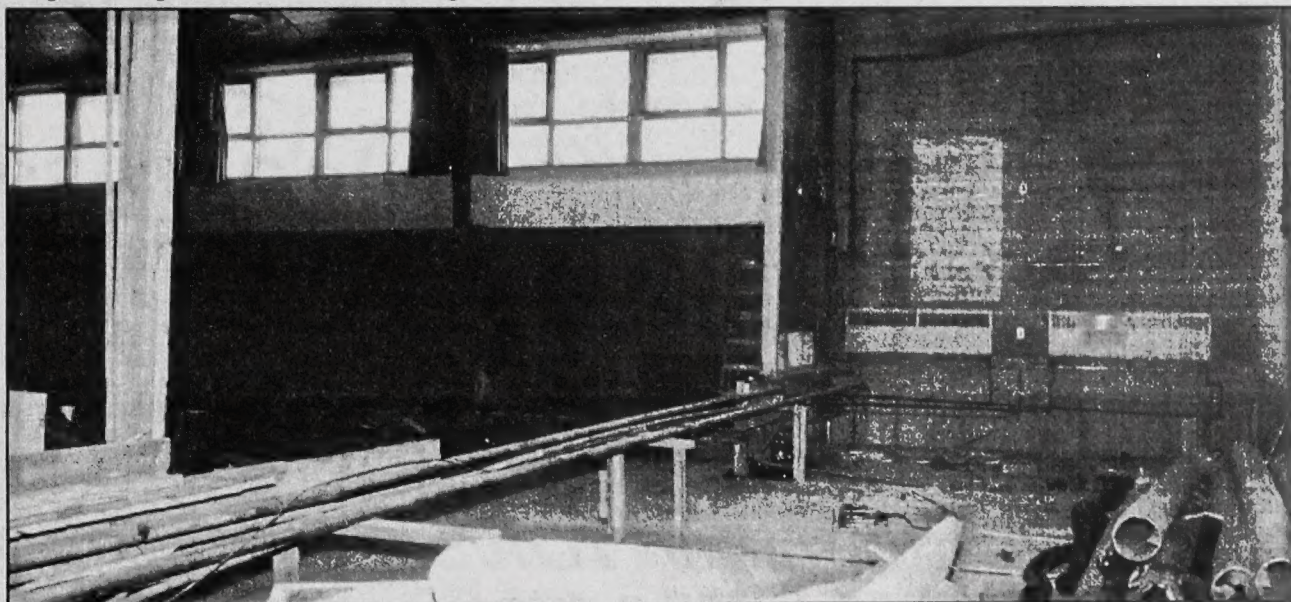
"There has been some confusion among people who 'purchased' a seat in the theatre," Moulton said. "Some thought in purchasing a seat they had in fact bought the right, without further charge, to the use of

that seat for all performances in the theatre. In fact, these endowments were simply donations which will be recognized with a plaque which will appear on the back of the seat."

Moulton said most people understood the process under which the endowments were made and are pleased their donations are now being put to work. While most of the seats have been sponsored, Moulton said there are still some available.

Last Tuesday, members of the theatre committee had their first look at the work under way in the old gymnasium. The old stage has been torn out, the floor is littered with dust and debris and lights dangle from the ceiling at a variety of angles. The place looks like it was destined for demolition. Curtis Eastmure, Caryl Moulton and Tom Robinson stood among the discarded construction material and envisioned a dream they had shared for many years. "Two years ago, not in my wildest dreams, would I have believed this would happen," Eastmure said. "I stand here today and realize, my God this is really happening."

His sense of delight, awe and anticipation is shared by all members of the committee as their dream of a performing arts centre in the Highlands begins to take shape.



The stage has been removed in preparation for the renovations which will see the former gymnasium at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School turned into the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion. A gala opening for the facility has been scheduled for June 17-20.

'Pavilion' has historical significance

Two share name honours

Two people share the honours of having selected the name for the community's new performing arts centre. Gwen Robinson of Haliburton and Dawn Mole of Halls Lake submitted the name North Lights.

Theatre committee member Caryl Moulton announced the winners last week. For suggesting the name, the two winners will each be able to dedicate a seat in the new theatre.

"The name was chosen for a number of reasons," Moulton said. "We are in the north; northern lights is a natural feature regularly visible in this part of the province; they are bright; colourful; and are constantly in motion." She also pointed out that lights or lighting is required for any performance and the phenomena of the aurora borealis draws our attention and attracts an audience.

The word "Pavilion" has been added to the name of the performing arts centre because of an historical reference. Where the high school now stands was an area of Haliburton Village settled by the Charles R. Stewart family. In 1864, when settlers were being attracted to the area, Mr. Stewart arrived from England as a local agent for the Canada Land and Emigration Company. He also was a prominent member of the community, as was his wife, the former

Theresa M. Fotheringham. She brought with her a love of music and theatre and, although Haliburton in the mid 1800's was a rough frontier town, they encouraged the arts.

Nila Reynolds, in her book of the early days of Haliburton County, *In Quest of Yesterday*, wrote: "By 1870 the Stewart Home, 'Newnham' on the shores of Head Lake west of the village, had progressed far beyond the usual frontier cabin. It included a dining room and a study for the master of the house. A pavilion, especially designed for entertaining, was added later; it had a stage and a well equipped private theatre and was once the home of a thriving dramatic society which produced very commendable amateur theatricals.... Mrs. Lila Laking recalls her childish pleasure at the sight of elaborate costumes of velvet, which Mr. Stewart once showed her."

The building was abandoned following the death of Charles Stewart and was destroyed by a fire in the 1930's.

In 1953 the Haliburton County High School was built on the property. It is now the location of Haliburton Highlands Secondary School and will soon be the home of the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion.

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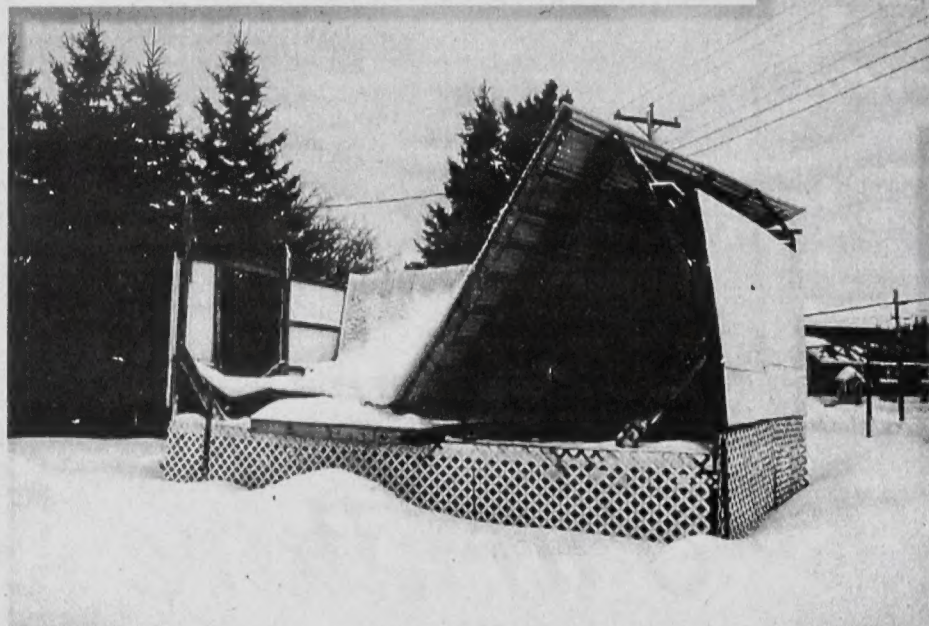
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FIND THE GRATE: Heavy rains and mild temperatures this past week quickly turned area streets into huge ponds. Accumulated ice and snow blocked many of the storm drains causing the water to pool in the streets. Minden road crews were out Friday attempting to clear away as many puddles as possible. At the right, work supervisor Clayton Cameron probes for the storm sewer grate in front of the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home on Main Street. Once it was cleared the water quickly disappeared.



SNOWED IN: Meanwhile, a combination of the heavy snow and rain have created a new another hazard, placing a strain on area roofs. The outdoor stage at the Minden fairgrounds, left, was one of the first victims of the additional weight overhead. It collapsed last week. Concern has been expressed for cottages, particularly those in the northern portion of the county where the snow accumulation is heavier.

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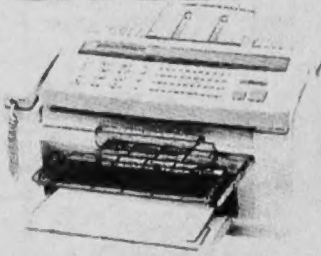
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Donated signs encourage responsible snowmobiling

An effort to reduce the number of snowmobile accidents related to the use of alcohol is being mounted by Molson Breweries in co-operation with the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association (HCSA).

The local organization took delivery of 150 signs provided by the brewery on Tuesday, January 19. The signs, part of its "Sign of the Times" program, will be used to help increase safety and responsible drinking among those people who use HCSA trails. Joe Hawley of Molson made the presentation at the HCSA workshop in Haliburton and then helped to post the first sign on a nearby trail.

"We wanted to take a stand in regard to the sensible use of alcohol and snowmobiling," Hawley said in presenting the signs to members of the HCSA executive. "With increased awareness of the danger of mixing alcohol and driving a snowmobile we felt this was the right time to take a stand, to say we wanted to be a part of this campaign."

The club was presented with three signs. One is based on the Molson Take Care program slogan and simply bears the inscription 'Don't Drink and Drive'. The other two signs, turn chevrons and stop signs will help HCSA trail staff to ensure the snowmobiling is as safe as possible. The signs are covered with a reflective material so they can easily be seen at night.

"Molson wants to be a leader in promoting snowmobile safety," the company representative said.

HCSA executive member and member of the On-

tario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs Safety Committee, Peter Overington, told the gathering that the brewery is not only involved at the local level but has made a commitment province-wide, through the OFSC, to promote safe snowmobiling. "Some might think we should sweep this problem under the rug," Overington said. "We disagree with that approach. We have taken a stand and will lead by example. There is no place for alcohol on the trail." As an example of how seriously the executive members are taking this message, Overington said that when travelling long distances and stopping for lunch, they refuse all beverages which include alcohol. "We en-

joy our beer or whatever at the end of the day when the snowmobiles are put away. As I like to say, it is zero tolerance."

The message appears to be getting through to the average snowmobiler as well. Overington noted that a few years ago it was common to find discarded beer and liquor containers on the trails. "Not any more," he said. "Increased awareness of the hazards of drinking and riding and the growing presence of trail wardens has helped get the message through to snowmobile drivers."

The additional signs should help to get the message through even more.



HCSA vice chair Marj Kennedy and sign chair Bob Bryant install one of the new signs which encourage responsible snowmobiling.



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Editorial

Waiting for a visit

We were distressed to learn that some of the residents of this county's home for the aged are feeling cut off from the community they have been a part of for so many years. As the article on page 18 of today's newspaper points out, many of the residents are lonely and are in need of contact with a friendly face, someone, if they were still in their homes, they would identify as their neighbours.

It is sometimes easy to believe that, because they live in a home

where all their needs are supplied, there is little the residents of Hyland Crest can need or want. There is no doubt the basic needs of food, shelter and security are being provided. The staff at the home also provides a stimulating program that includes organized events, activities and visits from various organizations and volunteers.

What is lacking however, is the kind of human contact most of us experience every day, a quiet moment chatting with a friend, col-

league or loved one. Many of us take this simple kind of interaction for granted, and yet it is an important part of our everyday experiences.

Many of the residents are fortunate to have family and friends close by who visit regularly. Others, however, only enjoy this kind of interaction on special occasions and that is a shame. Hopefully these people will not be forgotten for long and volunteers will come forward to ensure that no one at Hyland Crest or any other long-term care institution is lonely.

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Sled dog headline a 'slap in the face'

Editor:

Your choice of headline: *Ontario and Quebec drivers are tops in annual Sled Dog Derby*, (January 18) is really a slap in the face to the gentleman from Ohio who won the four dog event. I have attended and raced in your event in the past, and have worked with Stu Brandon on the ISDRA Board, and Steve and Val Lougheed, over the years. This is about as disappointing, and insulting, as anything I have ever seen in this sport.

You want your race to be considered tops in the world, yet you can't even ac-

knowledge in your headlines that a US driver from Ohio (who ever heard of a good team from Ohio, right?) beat all your local favorites from Ontario and Quebec. How provincial.

I have no regrets that I chose not to attend this years race, and I'll certainly think twice about attending any other Ontario races in the future. You are certainly happy enough to see US dollars coming your way but apparently don't have enough common courtesy

to give credit where it is due.

It is disheartening to see the decline of good sportsmanship in a race that used to burst at the seams with it.

Debbie Canter,
former Vice-Chairman, ISDRA
Ohio

(I am also a sled dog racer, friend, and proud as hell of Gary Callaghan, Madison, Ohio.)

Letters

Spectacular

Editor:

As well as *The Times*, we receive the Port Hope "Guide", the Port Hope "News" and the Toronto Star. In none have we seen more spectacular photos than that on the front page of your January 4, 1999 edition showing the tragic fire on the Buckslides Road, and that on page 5 of Firefighter Cober, framed by charred ruins. In particular, the front page photo in full colour is marvelously well reproduced!

Congratulations to Carol Moffatt, photographer extraordinaire, and to you!

C. Ian P. Tate
Port Hope

Food Bank and Christmas basket support appreciated

Editor:

The Board of Management for the Minden Food Bank wishes to thank the local churches, service clubs, the Minden council, local businesses and private individuals who continue to support this much needed ministry and the Canadian Sunday School Mission for the Christmas baskets, distributed by Louise Leonard.

The food bank is housed in the Valumart plaza through the generosity of owner Linda Easton. As well, Valumart and Dollo's IGA stores offer us quality bulk food at very reasonable prices. Our diligent vol-

unteers and work for welfare workers continue to fill the orders supplementing the food needs of more than three hundred families.

We've also had several former clients return to the food bank with groceries or a cash donation when they no longer need our help. What a wonderful warm feeling those donations give us. As our clients needs escalate we know that we can rely on our very generous community.

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Chair of the Minden Food Bank

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Dim wits on the dark side

Robin Hood has been taken into custody.

Actually, his real name isn't Robin Hood — it's Blane Nordahl — but the MO is unmistakable. For the past ten years Mister Nordahl has been stealing things — but only from the rich and famous.

He has stolen goodies from the home of Bruce Springsteen. He has purloined jewelry from the night table of Ivana Trump. He's also climbed through the windows of and made off with loot belonging to, Curt Gowdy, Goldie Hawn, John Ritter and NYPD star Dennis Franz.

But no more. The cops nailed Mister Nordahl in Baltimore last month and discovered in his apartment close to \$1.5 million worth of gems, jewelry and assorted goblets, candelabra and tea sets — all lifted from celebrities. Good stuff, too. "He knew the difference between silver and 'silver-plated'" said one admiring detective.

"He was just like Robin Hood, stealing from the rich. Except he didn't give to the poor." Which makes Blane Nordahl a couple of IQ points sharper than, say, Sean McCann of Macroom, Ireland. Sean walked into a bank with an ominous bulge beneath his jacket, advising the teller to fill a sack with money or he'd "blow them all to King-

dom Come." Unfortunately, Sean's grip on his jacket slipped, revealing the bulge to be...a banana.

"I-I-I-It's rigged to explode!" yelled Sean. But not loud enough to drown out the gales of laughter from the bank staff and customers.

And then there's the sad case of Roger McCown aged 20, of Toledo, Ohio. Mister McCown, an aspiring thief, had one of those days that makes a guy want to ask: what's the point? Is it worth it?

First, he tried to hold up a convenience store in suburban Toledo. Not the type to pussyfoot and beat around the bush, Mister McCown decided to cut out the middleman by stealing the entire cash register. Cleverly, he leaned over to slash the electrical cord that powered the cash register and tethered it to the aforementioned convenience store.

When Mister McCown regained consciousness...

Actually the electrical shock didn't knock Mister McCown out, but it did...confuse him slightly. He jumped up and ordered the clerk to put all the cash register money in a bag.

"Paper or plastic" inquired the clerk solicitously. Too much for Roger.

With a yipe he tossed his knife up in the air and fled to his waiting geta-

way car.

He thought.

In fact, his getaway driver was no swifter than Mister McCown and had gotten lost on his way to pick up the thief.

Mister McCown was still standing on the appointed street corner, looking vainly up and down the avenue, when the police cruisers rolled up.

Not an easy calling, the life of crime. Consider the case of the burglar who crept into a darkened house one night only to be greeted by a voice saying "JESUS IS WATCHING YOU!" The burglar freezes, stunned...shines his light in the direction of the voice and sees....

A parrot sitting on a perch.

"Did you say that?" hissed the burglar.

The parrot nodded: "Just trying to warn you."

"Oh" says the burglar, gaining confidence, "Here's a birdbrain parrot, trying to warn me. So what's your name?"

"Moses" says the parrot.

"Moses?" laughs the burglar, "what kind of idiotic people would name a parrot 'Moses'?"

And the parrot says "I don't know. I guess the same kind of people that would name a Rottweiler 'Jesus'".

Provincial programs will help mark the new millenium

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millennium initiatives. Applicants for this type of program may propose projects to beautify our communities, promote tourism or celebrate historical achievements. Funding for this program will range from \$1,000 to a maximum of \$350,000.

Ontario 2000 also provides an opportunity for the leaders of tomorrow — our local young people — to become involved in the future vision of Ontario. Through *My Ontario* primary and secondary students will be invited to put into words, and pictures, a vision of what they think Ontario might be like in 2020 and to describe what they might do to make that vision a reality. A selection of these visions will be published in a millennium book that will be sent to schools and libraries across the province.

The second youth-oriented initiatives is

Spotlight on Tomorrow's Leaders. Through this we hope to encourage excellent in young people between the ages of 15 and 24. In order to do this, we will honour 100 of them for their achievements in academics, community service and creative and healthy living, including the arts, sports and recreation.

From the young to the young at heart — everyone wants to celebrate the millennium. That's why we've established the *Three Century Club*. We will visit communities across the province in the summer of 2000. Through interactive displays, live presentations and multimedia theatre, it will give all of us a better understanding of the central role time plays in our lives, has played in the past, and might play in the future.

Our cultural attractions will also get a boost during the millennium year. We will offer special links through *That's the*

Ticket for Ontario residents and tourist alike to millennium events in communities across the province, including ours. In doing so we will encourage Ontarians and visitors to celebrate the millennium in Ontario.

The website *Ontario Connections 2000* at <http://www.ontario2000.on.ca> will be launched later this month, and will be our pipeline to millennium activities around the province.

We will be celebrating the remarkable history and potential of our community and people for the 21st century. The province is investing \$20 million in Ontario 2000, to give us a chance to commemorate this once in a lifetime event in a meaningful way.

By show-casing our contributions, and by celebrating our collective and individual accomplishments, we can build a legacy that does Victoria-Haliburton proud, and moves all of us into the next century.

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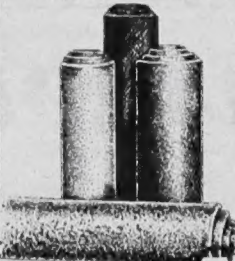
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Sports

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Minden Curling Club
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OMHA Atoms finalists in Minden tournament

A tournament hosted by the Minden Atom OMHA Monarchs on January 16 saw the Monarchs tangle with West Muskoka for the championship.

First win

The Monarchs started off the one day tournament with a 7-3 victory over Bracebridge. The first period of that game ended with Minden leading by a 3-1 count. The score was still 3-1 when the buzzer sounded to end the second frame.

Bracebridge closed the gap to 3-2 at the 2:18 mark of the third period.

Minden responded with three in a row, two of those goals coming just 49 seconds apart.

Bracebridge notched its third goal, making it a 6-3 game, with 1:43 left in the third.

The Monarchs added one more with 13 seconds remaining for the 7-3 win.

Aaron Keaney paced the Minden attack, scoring a hat trick and assisting on one more. Darrin Brown notched a pair of goals and one assist. Andrew Bull scored a goal and assisted on two more. Kody Smith added a goal and one assist to the Minden tally. Mark Fisher picked up a pair of helpers and a single assist went to Justin McKelvey.

Second win

Minden's second game of the tournament was a closer contest. The Fenelon Falls Flyers provided the

opposition. When it was over, the Monarchs had their second win, this time by a 5-3 margin.

The Monarchs jumped to a 2-0 lead with a pair of unanswered goals in the opening frame. Brown scored the first Minden goal, from Aaron Keaney and Bull made it 2-0, from Sean Keaney and Aaron Keaney.

Aaron Keaney put the Monarchs in front 3-0 early in the middle frame. Sean Keaney set that one up.

Just eight seconds later, the Flyers scored their first goal of the game, cutting Minden's lead to 3-1. A minute and a half later, Fenelon scored again, trimming the deficit to a single goal.

Before the second period ended, Smith scored for the Monarchs, restoring a two-goal advantage. Brown assisted.

Aaron Keaney's second goal of the game, midway through the third put the Monarchs back in front by a three-goal count.

Fenelon got one more with just under two minutes left in the game, but that's as close as the Flyers would get.

Championship final

With two wins under their belts, the Monarchs had a shot at the A division championship against West Muskoka. The West Muskoka squad had earned a berth in the final by defeating the Bancroft Jets 6-3 and downing Newcastle by a 4-2 score.

The Monarchs started off well against West Muskoka. Mark Fisher netted the game's first a minute and 58 seconds after the opening faceoff. Zac Joanu assisted.

After trailing for most of the period, the West Muskoka team came to life in the last two minutes of the period, scoring twice in a span of 49 seconds.

Muskoka continued the momentum into the middle frame, notching another goal at the 45 second mark.

Less than two minutes later, the Monarchs got one back when Sean Keaney beat the Muskoka goalie on a solo effort. Two minutes after that, Sean Keaney scored again to tie the game at 3-3. Fisher assisted.

Muskoka broke the tie with two minutes left in the second period, taking a 4-3 lead into the third.

In spite of some good chances at both ends of the rink, the score remained at 4-3 to the dying seconds of the third. Minden opted for the extra attacker to try for the tying goal, pulling Mike Fisher from the net late in the game. The move backfired as Muskoka put one into the empty net with four seconds showing on the clock.

West Muskoka went home with the championship hardware, while Minden was forced to settle for championship runner-up status.

Minden Pee wee A Monarchs win Burks Falls Tournament

A Division champion was the title the Minden OMHA Pee wee Monarchs came home with from the OPP Tournament in Burks Falls on January 10.

The Monarchs came within a few minutes of blanking Penetang in the opener. But Ryan Cole's shutout bid was spoiled in the third period.

Kevin Walker scored Minden's first goal in the opening frame. Kolt Smith made it 2-0 in the second and late in the period, Philip Greer gave the Monarchs a 3-0 advantage.

That first encounter ended with a 3-1 win for Minden.

The second game for Minden was against a AA team from North Bay.

With just 10 skaters and one goalie, the Minden team was the smallest at the tournament. The North Bay team was a test of Minden's stamina.

The game was scoreless until the middle of the second period when Shaun Chapman broke the deadlock, scoring on the backhand. Evan Kernohan assisted.

North Bay replied shortly after, but Minden quickly regained the lead with a goal by Kevin Walker.

North Bay tied the game in the third period, but Minden was declared the winner by virtue of a better record in the opener. With the tie, Minden advanced to the championship final and North Bay went home.

The final was against Almaguin, a team Minden had beaten in its own tournament.

Almaguin struck early in the championship game, scoring just 30 seconds after the opening faceoff. Two minutes later, Almaguin increased its lead to 2-0.

A goal by Evan Kernohan started Minden on the come-back trail. Kevin Walker assisted. Daryl Arbour notched the tying goal, from Kernohan. Seven seconds later, Walker scored to put the Monarchs in front for the first time in the game. Kernohan set that one up.

Before the second period ended, Almaguin got back on even terms.

Kolt Smith gave Minden a 4-3 lead in the third, converting a set-up from Philip Greer and David Petch.

Almaguin bounced back again to knot the game at 4-4.

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BEST GOALIE: Ryan Cole stopped 22 of 24 shots to win the showdown at the Burks Falls Pee wee Tournament.

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Local skiers fare well at Invitational

The racers were out at Glebe Park on January 17 under brilliant blue skies amid warm temperatures. The Haliburton Invitational went well this year, with competitors from across the province attending the free technique race.

Traditionally, race reports begin with the results and only end with a fleeting reference to those who made the event possible. In this case, it is better to thank the dozens of volunteers who gave up precious ski time to make certain that all the skiers enjoyed a fair and friendly race. Without their support, none of the athletes could enjoy any success.

Many local athletes enjoyed personal bests, and many youngsters performed well. Notable performances include Matt Hindman's first place in the Midget Boys category, Liz Brown's fifth in the Junior Girls, while Ainsley Heyes and Steph Ratz came 13th and 15th, respectively, in the Senior Girls category.

Many young Jackrabbit skiers came out for the challenge, and they all showed promise and determination while having a fun race. One proud father admitted that he didn't feel ready to try racing himself because he felt so nervous watching his son that he worried that he'd fall apart in the middle of the competition.

It is difficult to perform to the best of one's abilities and keep in mind that "you are only competing with yourself." That said, congratulations to Mike Darlington, a local Masters skier, who cracked the 17km/hr average speed barrier en route to a second place finish in his

category on a tough 15km course.

High school ski coach and race organizer Bruce Griffith also did the 15km course in order to show solidarity with his athletes. Despite recent knee surgery his average speed was higher than those of all of his athletes, except for Matt Hindman. Looks like

someone is keeping some secret technique weapons in reserve, or perhaps the team should observe better.

Remember that high school races will be at Glebe Park again on February 10 and 16. Come out and enjoy the action!

Seniors meet on Tuesdays

The Haliburton Ski Club seniors group has once again begun to meet on Tuesdays for fun touring and instruction at Glebe Park. The club is proud of this gang of skiers, who show that no one is too old for skiing and that certainly not all seniors would wish to fritter away their winters in warmer climates.

This group tours various trails together on Thursdays, so call 754-2351 for information on the next tour.

Nordic Notes

by Blake Paton

Second schedule underway at Minden Curling Club

by Sandy Cole

The second schedule of the curling season is now well under way and there are several bonspiels fast approaching. This weekend, January 29, 30 and 31 will be the annual Winter Mixed spiel, where you can watch teams from Minden as well as teams visiting from outside our area.

The annual Business Persons bonspiel will take place on February 6. Space is still available for you to get a spot in this event. If you would like to try curling yourself or have a team, or would like to sponsor a team under your business name, just call Doug Brown at 286-4380 and he will set things up for you. Spectators are welcome to come to the club to watch regular play or bonspiels and, as always, admission to the club is free.

Please remember that the Minden Curling Club is collecting UPC symbols from Scott Paper Products. Just clip the bar codes from your products and drop them in the collection boxes at Dollo's IGA, Easton's Valu-mart or at the bar of the Minden Curling Club. This fundraising event could help us with programs for all ages and only costs us the time to clip and deposit the bar codes. Thank you in advance for helping in this endeavour.

League Scores for January 18 and 19.

Monday Night Ladies'

Pat Woodcroft 10, Zelda Cooper 2
M.J. Irwin 7, Pat Campbell 1

Tuesday Night Men's

Ross Davies 9, Russ Duhaime 6
Dave McAdam 11, Ted Wilkes 1
Paul Prentice 7, Bill Roodenburg 6
Dwight Thomas 9, Alf Trotter 3

Peewees win, lose and tie

In three games from January 7 to 11, the Peewee A Monarchs recorded a win, a loss and a tie.

Millbrook 6, Minden 2

The last time Minden and Millbrook tangled it was a tough, penalty-filled game. Although the Monarchs came home without any points for this game, they managed to play a strong, penalty-free game.

The home team jumped to an early 2-0 lead. But Evan Kernohan notched an unassisted goal to cut that lead in half.

The second period was a little more intense, with more contact. But no goals were scored.

Kernohan scored another unas-

sisted goal early in the third to knot the game at 2-2. The Minden defense broke down, allowing Millbrook to score four unanswered goals for the 6-2 win.

Minden 4, Omeme 1

Minden played host to Omeme on January 9.

It took the Monarchs just 55 seconds to get on the scoreboard. Philip Greer was the sniper, from Kolt Smith and Benji Saunders. Late in the period, Omeme got back on even terms, sending the two teams into the second period tied at 1-1.

Smith scored, from Greer and

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Major Tyke scoreboard

The first game of 1999 saw the Minden Monarchs Major Tykes travel to Ops on January 3. Alex Cray was on guard duty between the pipes for Minden.

Early in the first period, Dean Hutchison scored for the Monarchs, assisted by Jason Chapman. With 1:10 left in the period, Matthew Robins scored Minden's second goal after carrying the puck from his own end and skating around the Ops defensemen. His wrist shot, high to the stick side gave Minden a 2-0 lead.

Ops recovered from the setback, scoring twice in the second period to tie the game. In spite of Cray's strong performance in the Minden net, the home team added two unanswered goals in the third to record the come-from-behind 4-2 win over the Monarchs.

A week later, the Minden Major Tykes were in Fenelon Falls to take on the Flyers.

Minden got on the scoreboard first in this game as well. Kelsey Pierson was the sharpshooter, assisted by Matthew Robins. Jason Chapman, Robby Hicks, Ryan Smith, Taryn Robins, Ashton Haley and Dean Hutchison all had good scoring chances thwarted by the Fenelon goaltender.

The Monarchs remained in the lead until the Flyers tied it up with just 11 seconds left in the second period.

Both teams tried frantically to break the tie, and it was not until midway through the third that the Flyers went ahead. The Monarchs made a good effort to get that goal back and had a few good opportunities, but the home team hung on for the 2-1 win.

While the sled dog races roared through and around Minden, the Major Tykes played host to the Haliburton Huskies on January 17. Haliburton opened the scoring early in the first period, but Jason Chapman, with the assistance of Joey Findeis, was able to rush the Haliburton defense and tie the score.

The Monarchs moved the puck well and were rewarded for their efforts with a goal by Ashton Haley after Jason Chapman delivered the puck from deep in the Minden end. That go-ahead goal was scored with just four seconds left in the first period.

The Huskies were able to get back on even terms in the first few minutes of the second period. But the Monarchs came right back to take the lead. This time, Kelsey Pierson was the marksman. Dean Hutchison and Joey Findeis assisted.

Haliburton tied the game again, but Jason Chapman put the Monarchs in front by a 4-3 count. Taryn Robins set up Minden's fourth goal.

Minden continued to play well in the third period and had numerous great scoring chances squelched

by Haliburton netminder Luke Watson.

Minden's goaltender, Alex Cray played equally well, stopping more than 15 shots. Minden defensemen Robby Hicks and Cody Garbutt had outstanding games, but in spite of the Minden team's best efforts, the Huskies tied the score and notched the game winner late in the third for the 5-4 decision.

Both teams played well and the game could easily have gone either way.

December had its ups and downs for the Major Tykes. The Monarchs started off the month with a 9-4 loss to Beaverton. Jason Chapman scored a hat trick in that game, with Alex Cray notching his first goal of the season. Cray is often on guard duty between the Minden pipes.

In spite of an outstanding game in net by Paddy Manuge, the next weekend the Monarchs gave up a 3-1 decision to Woodville. Dean Hutchison was the lone Minden marksman in that game.

One of the highlights of the month was a game in Haliburton, where the Monarchs doubled the Huskies 4-2. Robby Hicks, Alex Cray, Taryn Robins and Jason Chapman were the snipers. Paddy Manuge played a strong game in the net, stopping some tough Haliburton shots.

Bobcaygeon edged the Monarchs 2-1 on December 18. Robby Hicks scored the lone goal for the visiting Monarchs.

The Minden team came home from Ops with a big win on December 20. Alex Cray earned the shutout as the Monarchs skated to a 5-0 victory. Kelsey Pierson was the big gun for Minden, scoring a hat trick. Robby Hicks and Taryn Robins added one goal each to the winning tally.

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Sir Sam's hosts snowboard competition

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Sir Sam's Ski Area is hosting a Boardercross Charity Challenge Race on January 30, to raise money for the Haliburton Skateboard Park, a popular summer activity for snowboarders in the Highlands.

Chris Bishop of Sir Sam's says that with the rise in popularity of snowboarding, this type of event is a welcome addition to the ski hill's busy season. The resort has converted one of its runs for this event and plans to keep it available to snow-boarders throughout the season.

The Boardercross event is becoming inter-

nationally popular as snowboarding establishes itself as a world cup sport. It is patterned after a motocross event where four competitors attempt the same run at once, manoeuvring through a series of jumps and turns. Racers run through a series of heats to determine the winners. Boarders must manoeuvre through the course, while avoiding the three other competitors.

Bishop hopes that the popularity of this event increases. He expects that as many as one hundred riders will take part in both the amateur and professional divisions. Already he has heard from teams from Oshawa, Huntsville and Toronto who will be participating. Hopefully by next

season, the event will be expanded into a series of Boardercross events.

The competition is also a fund raiser for the Haliburton Skateboard Park. A committee of enthusiastic skaters has been working on the project to construct a skateboard park for almost a year, although funds have been hard to come by. "We find a lot of the snowboarders are also skateboarders," said Bishop. "This will help them get the park and get them off the streets."

Boarders can pre-register for the event by calling Sir Sam's, or can register for the race between 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. on January 30. The cost for the amateur division is \$10 and for the professionals it is \$25. Board-

ers will be vying for \$2,000 in cash and prizes, including two snowboards. The event will also be taking place

the same day as the Haliburton County Association for Community Living annual Dare to Ski and Silent Auction, so

there is sure to be a crowd of spectators. For more information on the Boardercross race, contact Sir Sam's Ski area.

Ryan Cole tournament's best goalie

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With 1:24 left in the game, Lance Aggett let a shot go from the point that blew by the Almaguin goalie. That goal was the game winner.

During a break in the

action, the tournament organizers held a show-down, where all the goalies had a chance to show their talents.

Minden goaltender Ryan Cole proved to be the best of the tournament. He stopped 22 of 24 shots, one-on-one.

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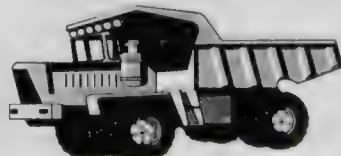


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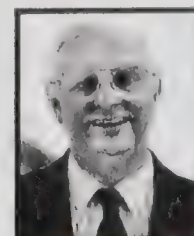
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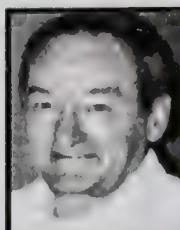
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Monarchs score 10 goals in three games

(from page 10)

Saunders in the second period.

The same combination of Monarchs scored again in the third for a 3-1 lead. Greer was the goal scorer. Less than 30 seconds later, Chapman made it 4-1, from Kevin Walker and Evan Kernohan.

Minden 4, Mariposa 4

The Monarchs came home from Mariposa with one point on January 11. Minden led 3-1 at one point, but the Monarchs found themselves down 4-3 with less than a minute to go in the game. With Monarchs' goalie Ryan Cole on the bench in favour of an extra

attacker, Greer scored with 14 seconds left to salvage the tie. Chapman assisted on the tying goal. Saunders notched two goals and Walker scored one. Greer picked up two assists and Kernohan helped set one up.

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High single: Maxine Cross 227; Bob Vankoughnet 303

High single (handicap): Maxine Cross 278; Bob Vankoughnet 344

High triple: Maxine Cross 555; Bob Vankoughnet 620

High triple (handicap): Estella Burch 736; Bob Vankoughnet 745

High single: Walt Stegmaier 254

High single (handicap): Addie Dykstra 256

High triple: Eric Burk 611

High triple (handicap): Len Punt Jr. 619

Addie Dykstra wins third series.

Boekestyn 312

High triple: Edith Alzner 592; Nick Boekestyn 608

High triple (handicap): Janice Hughes 665; Nick Boekestyn 728

Thursday Afternoon Seniors League

High average: Edith Alzner 168; Addie Dykstra 199

High single: Edith Alzner 235; Nick Boekestyn 272

High single (handicap): Edith Alzner 282; Nick

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Monday Night Mixed League

High average: Michelle Moore 196; Scott Moore 226

High single: Michelle Moore 208; Scott Moore 276

High single (POA): Marlene Bellar +43; Scott Moore +51

High triple: Michelle Moore 573; Scott Moore 738

High triple (POA): Marlene Bellar +68; Doug Schell +76

Tuesday Afternoon Seniors League

High average: Theresa Fox 179; Bob Bullen 208

High single: Nancy Moore 191; Bob Bullen 271

High single (handicap): Nancy Moore 248; Bob Bullen 285

High triple: Nancy Moore 535; Bob Bullen 615

High triple (handicap): Nancy Moore 706; Bob Bullen 657

Tuesday Night Mixed League

High average: Cathy Snell 232; Alex Little 223

High single: Cathy Snell 307; Len Punt Jr. 284

High single (handicap): Alice Balcombe 343; Len Punt Jr. 296

High triple: Cathy Snell 712; Walt Stegmaier 740

High triple (handicap): Alice Balcombe 741; Walt Stegmaier 764

Wednesday Night Men's League

High average: Scott Moore 236

John Goff wins 3-6-9 Tournament

Ontario Special Olympics

High average: Robin Fletcher 120; Jerry Corby 161

High single: Robin Fletcher 142; Jerry Corby 206

High single (handicap): Dale Jarvis 207; John Goff 255

High triple: Mari Anne Stammers 230; Larry Watt 352

High triple (handicap): Dale Jarvis 615; Ross Anderson 640

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Preserving the memory of a championship team

Neil Burk wants to ensure that the memory of a championship Minden hockey team is not lost.

Neil was a member of the 1961-62 Minden Monarchs Intermediate B's which won the All Ontario Rural Hockey Association Championship in a final game played in Bobcaygeon. "It was exciting for us and the community," Neil recalled. But despite the victory, there is no recognition of the team's win among the memorabilia in the trophy cases at the Minden Arena.

He thought the players and coaches who won the title for the community should receive some recognition for their efforts. He attempted to find a

photo of the team, which he planned to frame and hang in one of the trophy cases. "I remember they took a team photo following our championship win in Bobcaygeon" Neil said. After doing some investigating, he learned that for some reason the photo did not turn out.

Some 35 years after the team won the title, Neil also had trouble recalling all the players. "Minden was without a newspaper at that time, so there was no local source to check. Then I remembered that we beat Haliburton in the semi-finals." He checked the records of the *Haliburton County Echo* and found a write-up on the game and a

list, he believes, identifies all the players on the team.

While he didn't have the photo he was looking for, he did have a key piece of information, in the team roster. So Neil had a plaque prepared to mark the championship listing all the players including: Bob Austin, Ron Birch, Phil Watson, Dave Caister, Bryce Handley, Jack Raymond, Larry Lonsberry, Neil Burk, Bev Gartshore, Craig Gartshore, Paul Yearwood, Murray Bradt, Don Schrader, Brad Hamilton, John Devitt and Robert Junkin. Team staff included: coach Lyle McKnight; manager Fred Cooper; and trainer Don Gartshore.

Neil still thinks somewhere there might be a photo of the All Ontario ORHA Championship team. It would certainly make his effort to preserve a little bit of Minden hockey history complete. If anyone has a photo, please contact Neil through this newspaper at 286-1288.

In the meantime, however, the plaque, with its list of players and team staff, will have to serve as a suitable memorial to the championship team of 1961-62.



Neil Burk with the plaque that recalls the Minden Monarchs Ontario Rural Hockey Association 1961-62 Championship.

Kennisis Lake B & E

Thieves got away with a snowmobile and diving equipment after a break-in at a cottage on Kennisis Lake. The owner of the cottage advised police that his garage and cottage were broken into some time between January 10 and 15.

Some of the items stolen include a 1997 Polaris XLT snowmobile, black with purple trim, a white 1989 Polaris Indy 400, a red 1995 Skidoo formula SS, a 1990 black Polaris Indy 500, several snowmobile helmets, floating snowmobile suits, a wet suit, regulator, a buoyancy compensation device, masks, snorkels and air tank for SCUBA diving. The items are valued at \$18,000.

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Novice B Monarchs get on track with 2 wins

Two losses early in the New Year just added to the determination of the Minden Novice B Monarchs hockey team. The Monarchs travelled to Beaverton on January 16 with the resolve to change their luck.

Derek Nesbitt was the first Minden sharpshooter to put one past the Beaverton goalie. John Murray and Jared Mills assisted.

The Monarchs enjoyed the lead until midway through the second period, when Beaverton came back and tied the game at 1-1.

Davis Reynolds put the Monarchs back in front, at 2-1, just over two minutes later. Zachary Pierson and Jared Mills set up that goal. The Reynolds marker proved to be the game winner, as the two teams played through a scoreless third frame.

The next day, the Monarchs were on the road again. Cannington was the destination this time.

Jared Mills struck first for the Monarchs early in the first period. Derek Nesbitt and Todd Simms assisted. Nesbitt gave the Monarchs a 2-0 lead before the opening frame ended. Mills and Stephen Roome drew assists.

The second period was more than half over when Nesbitt scored again, giving Minden a 3-0 advantage. Assists went to Reynolds and Daniel Walker.

Cannington finally put one past Minden goalie, Mike Toye, with just under three minutes left in the middle period.

In the dying seconds of the second, Pierson got that one back. He scored with three seconds showing on the clock, assisted by Ryan Kerr and Colin Callaghan for a 4-1 Minden lead.

Cannington scored its second goal a couple of

minutes into the third, but Nesbitt rounded out the game's scoring, recording his hat trick with 4:37 left. Toye and the Minden defensive unit kept the home team from adding to its side of the scoreboard to preserve the 5-2 win.

Mariposa #2 team prevails over Minden Atom B squad

Minden's Atom B hockey team ran into some tough competition when the Monarchs went to Little Britain to tangle with the Mariposa #2 squad.

Mariposa asserted its authority early, scoring two unanswered goals in the first period.

The Monarchs weren't about to give up the game without letting the

host team it had some serious competition in the visiting squad.

Travis Walker cut the Mariposa team's lead in half at the 4:35 mark of the second frame. Walker's goal, which would prove to be Minden's only marker of the game, was assisted by Cody Mills and Judd Campbell.

Mariposa responded just 15 seconds later, making it 3-1 and added one more before the second period ended.

The third period was scoreless as Mariposa preserved the 4-1 win.

Novice A Monarchs bow to Beaverton 4-1

The Novice A Monarchs hosted the very powerful Beaverton squad On January 17. Although Beaverton dominated the first period the Monarchs had their chances early to establish momentum. Brady Hicks rang a shot off the cross bar, and shortly afterwards Kyle Fry sent a long clearing pass that eluded the Beaverton goalie and bounced off the post.

However, Beaverton was the stronger team on this night and clearly held the edge in play despite great effort and work from the Minden players. Beaverton scored two goals in the first and a goal in each of the following two periods to build a 4-0 lead.

Mike Lennox, the Minden goalie, played a very strong game, turning away 28 of 32 shots, many of them of the challenging variety.

Sheri Hicks made the score 4-1 with a nice individual effort late in the third period with the assist going to Steve Kerr.

Tori Brown tops Peewees with 108 single

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High average: Tori Brown 108; Sean Dole 80

High single: Sarah Prozak 121; Eric Whitty 97

High double: Sarah Prozak 232; Eric Whitty 178

Bantam

High average: Brandy Cole 71; Bradley Brown 97

High single: Brandy Cole 78; Bradley Brown 125

High triple: Brandy Cole 208; Robert Cox 236

Junior

High average: Kelly Berry 177; Matt Reinwald 184

High single: Kelly Berry 226; Alan Clement 255

High single (handicap):

Kelly Berry 245; Alan Clement 304

High triple: Kelly Berry 573; Joey Cox 638

High triple (handicap): Kelly Berry 630; Joey Cox 731

Senior

High average: Elizabeth Goldenberg 154; Trevor Clement 178

High single: Katie Robinson 164; Trevor Clement 235

High single (handicap): Katie Robinson 225; Trevor Clement 253

High triple: Katie Robinson 415; Trevor Clement 550

High triple (handicap): Katie Robinson 598; Trevor Clement 604



On October 10, 1998 Jeanette daughter of Edwin & Marlene Pilcher of Horseshoe Lake and Daryl son of Mervin & Ruby Gilbert of Lochlin were married at St. Peter's Anglican Church Maple Lake.

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In Consideration of Dissolution of Kawartha Region Conservation Authority

Motions, calling for the dissolution of the conservation authority, have been received from three of the nineteen watershed municipalities, namely the Village of Bobcaygeon, the Village of Omemee, and the Township of Manvers.

Kawartha Conservation is therefore calling a

Public Meeting

and

Vote of Municipal Conservation Authority Representatives on the matter of Dissolution of the Conservation Authority.

Thursday, February 11, 1999 at 7:30 pm

Kawartha Conservation Offices

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The public is encouraged to come to this meeting and express their views either for or against the motion to dissolve the conservation authority prior to the vote being taken.

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Lonely residents hungry for a friendly chat over a cup of tea

Hyland Crest residents invite you to visit

The residents of Hyland Crest want to get to know their "neighbours". It is hoped that through the Friendly Neighbours Visiting Program, residents will receive companionship, fellowship and a little friendly conversation.

According to Hyland Crest Director of Program Services Linda Robertson, many of the 62 residents are lonely and don't really have the opportunity to meet with people in the community. Another problem is that many people who would like to volunteer for such a program feel that they are not qualified to participate.

Robertson said that all the residents are looking for is a friendly chat over a cup of tea, a walk or a trip downtown. "There has been need for this type of care. We have had little or no response to our pastoral or palliative care programs, so we thought that this friendly neighbours program would be ideal," she said. Robertson is also hoping to hold seminars in the coming year about volunteering and what is in-



VISITORS WANTED: These residents of Hyland Crest are looking for a few good neighbours to chat and visit on a weekly basis. Some of the residents include, back row from the left, Bertha

volved.

Many of the residents who are in need of such a program are those who cannot participate in other activities or outings. Although Hyland Crest has many activities, games, social hours and outings, some residents, for a number of reasons are unable to take part. "Ideally we would have 62 volunteers, but these people are those who need this program. They are the lost ones," said Robertson.

The residents are looking for people with similar interests or hobbies or who are willing to chat for an hour or two each week. It is important for Anna Wiseman to have a friendly visitor who enjoys pets, and would like to talk about Germany, where she was born. Other residents such as Mary McCallum would like someone to walk and talk with. "If someone could come in on a weekly basis and have a cup of tea or walk with her, it would be great," said Robertson.

For those residents who are physically mobile, Robertson said that volunteers could take them on outings such as to the Legion, out for lunch or to church services on Sundays.

Anyone who is interested in devoting a couple of hours each week for the Friendly Neighbours Visiting Program should contact Linda Robertson at Hyland Crest at 286-2140.

Hot dog lunch helps school funds

by April Austen of the
Archie Stouffer Press Club

Last week, the ASES student council provided hot dogs for grades one through eight. It was very successful. Thanks to Mrs. Adams, our student council teacher representative, for helping the student council achieve such a great accomplishment.

The money raised went to the supplies for the hot dog sales. The extra money will go to help provide the school with playground equipment and other things around the school.



Student council members and hot dog chefs Clara Suh, Christa McGlade, Nick Russel, Josh Wales and Laura Patterson help out in the kitchen.

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-18/98

Take Notice that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth proposes to enact a By-law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

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The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office located three miles south of Minden on Highway# 35, on the 11th day of February, 1999 at the hour of 4 p.m. and at that time, the council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 5th day of January, 1999.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
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Township of Lutterworth,
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Haliburton County Community Co-operative

The Haliburton County Community Co-operative Inc. is a recently formed, non-profit corporation that is committed to undertaking and sponsoring entrepreneurial projects that support economic, cultural and social development in Haliburton County.

We are looking for two full-time managers to support the initiatives of our active and enthusiastic Co-op members. The initial funding of these positions is through Human Resources Development Canada. To be eligible applicants must have established an Employment Insurance claim within the last three years or have started a parental or maternity claim within the last five years.

Co-op Manager

The Co-op Manager will assume the central administrative and coordinating role of the Haliburton County Community Co-operative. This position includes working with the board of directors to set up the administrative structure, policies and procedures of the Co-op, managing the Co-op administrative functions, promoting the activities of the Co-op, providing support to the project information for Co-op members and the community at large, and liaising with other organizations involved in economic, cultural and social development.

Qualifications:

We are looking for a creative and enthusiastic individual who is self motivated and a team player and has experience working with a volunteer board and various committees, a positive philosophy about co-operatives and community development, access to transportation, experience with administration and financial management, and computer literacy. This position requires some flexibility in working schedule.

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Qualifications

We are looking for a creative and enthusiastic individual who is self motivated and a team player, is able to manage authority in a positive manner, has a positive philosophy about recycling and reselling, has management or administrative capabilities, experience in retail (optimally consignment or resale) and has access to transportation. This is a full-time position with variable hours which is intended to become permanent.

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Allsaw Church hosts weekly tea

Hello to you all. We're back to chat with you. Before we begin to tell you all our news, we need to apologize for an error in last week's column. We reported that St. Peter's Anglican Church would be hosting our tea party on the fourteenth, when in fact the Allsaw Gospel was scheduled. Sorry about that, we got a little ahead of ourselves. Hope this did not cause too much confusion.

Speaking of that tea party, it was hosted by Allsaw Gospel and what a great tea party it was. Pastor Power joined in with the group and we were entertained wonderfully with the music while we enjoyed our treats. Our thanks to them. Later in the evening, A Joyful Noise was here once again and entertained us with their music and beautiful voices. They introduced us to David, a young man who had composed a piece of music. He played it for us on the piano, and we were all enthralled at the beauty of it. We certainly look forward to having them back with us.

Our Happy Hour on Friday was somewhat changed as our scheduled musical group was snowed in. However, we still enjoyed ourselves with some impromptu entertainment. Our activity staff are great.

Over the weekend we enjoyed a visit from Bert Bonnell who plays wonderful old songs on the piano. Some of us manage to sing along with him, when we can remember the words. Most of use just enjoy listening.

On Sunday we were very lucky to have a group of young men with us. The Word of Life Impact Team. Their range in age from 19 to 23 years and they have taken a year off to travel, meet with as many people as possible from all walks of life and to share their inspirational songs. They hail from different areas of

Canada and the United States. We certainly appreciated them visiting us and enjoyed their time with us.

We had our very own "Price is Right" on Monday and it proved very interesting. For those of us who participated, we certainly discovered how out of touch we are with prices. We were shown many grocery items and we had to guess what they cost.

Well you know how the game is played. We had fun with this one. Very educational.

Reverend T. Wicks was here with us for Tuesday Morning Chapel and later that day the craft group met. It is working on items for Valentine's Day. This group quietly works in the background and are kept busy all year round, what with one holiday, event or other. Last night was our pub night and what fun we had. Everett and Ted were here to provide the entertainment... "Good ole country music". And it was nice to see quite a few family members here, keeping company with their folk and enjoying the music also. We hope to see this more often. Our thanks to Everett and Ted. You must make it again some time.

Well, it's back to Thursday again. Today our tea party is scheduled to be hosted by St. Peter's Anglican. We double checked this time and they are scheduled. We sure goofed last week didn't we? Anyway we are looking forward to having them with us and maybe have a good laugh over our boo-boo.

Before we go we must welcome our newest resident, Minnie Dawson. Good to have you with us. Also, birthday greetings go out to Edith Day who celebrates on January 29. Enjoy your day Edith!

Guess we've caught you up on the news. Meet with you next week, in the meantime, keep smiling....less wrinkles that way.

Senior League by the Roving Reporters



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REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS

The Regular Council Meetings scheduled for February 9th and February 23rd 1999 have been

RESCHEDULED to February 2nd and February 16th 1999 respectively. The next Regular Meeting after February 16th 1999 will be March 9th at 7:00pm in the Council Chambers Buckhorn.

Subsequent Regular Council Meetings will be every 2nd Tuesday evening at the same time and place. Donna E. Barr. Clerk.

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH

PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-12/98

Take Notice that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth proposes to enact a By-law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

Firstly: ALL and Singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Lutterworth in the County of Haliburton and being composed of part of the original sixty-six foot shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Part of Lot 20 Concession 10, and being more particularly described as Parts 2 and 3 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan 19R-6564.

The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office located three miles south of Minden on Highway# 35, on the 11th day of February, 1999 at the hour of 4 p.m. and at that time, the council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 5th day of January, 1999.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Lutterworth,
P.O. Box 850,
Minden, Ontario
KOM 2K0

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The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office located three miles south of Minden on Highway# 35, on the 25th day of February, 1999 at the hour of 7 p.m. and at that time, the council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 20th day of January, 1999.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Lutterworth,
P.O. Box 850,
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Corporation of the Township of Stanhope

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The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office in the Township of Stanhope on the 10th day of February, 1999 at the hour of 11:30 a.m. and at that time, the council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated: December 22,1998.
Gerald C. Bain, A.M.C.T.
Clerk-Administrator
Township of Stanhope
RR#2
Minden, Ont
KOM 2K0

Around the County Town

by Nora Snyder (call 286-4450 or fax 286-4425)

It happened again!!

The Sled Dog Derby was exciting, well organized and lots of fun!!

Again I wept as I watched the dogs in the eight dog race straining at their harnesses at the start gate, wanting to get going at what they obviously loved to do; running the course. I felt their excitement!!

Some of the teams came back at a walk, with wet faces and their tongues flopping out of the side of their mouths. Others still had some energy left as they ran toward the finish line. The course was not an easy one and they had given their all.

It is also wonderful to see the man/woman, sled and dog team working so well together. I enjoy being in the atmosphere of the Derby on our Main Street!! Another proud moment for Minden and all the organizers, volunteers and spectators.

Of course the whole event is a welcome boost for our economy too. I had guests all weekend. Some of them were here for the Ice Car Racing and that was another story!!

I appreciate the weekend and always enjoy it thoroughly!! Wasn't it great that there was never any worry of the lack of snow and that the January thaw has arrived after the event!! As we experience this "balmy" weather, it is hard to remember the storms of only a week ago. It sounds like Toronto is getting back to normal. Didn't the rest of the country get after the city and not have much sympathy for them, including me in last week's column? Someone suggested that our lack of sympathy unified the rest of the country which is a good thing, but it was also like being an enormous bully. Maybe that is another side of bullies: taking it out on someone they perceive as stronger/wealthier--someone they envy? Interesting thought!!

Toronto's troubles also revealed that other cities were not happy with their clean-up effort. I guess the bigger

centres were becoming complacent, especially financially, after some years of milder winters. It was all very exciting and it feels like we are getting back to normal--whatever normal is!!

Speaking of the Sled Dog Derby, some lost articles were turned into the announcer's van. If you lost a watch, a child's animal purse, a Masonic ring or a brown and white, hand knitted headband, or an assortment of gloves, please call Bill Payne at 286-1280.

The Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group is holding its first meeting of the year on Wednesday, February 10 at the Minden Public Library at 7:00 p.m. It is hoped that many local people will drop in for the evening. Everyone is welcome!! Maybe you could get hooked on the fastest growing hobby---Family History!! The research for your roots, wherever they may be, can be a very exciting journey of discovery. Everyone in Haliburton County came from somewhere!! We hope to see you out on February 10 to join the friendly group's discussion of Family History.

It is Roast Beef Dinner time at the Zion United Church in Carnarvon on Saturday, February 13 at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under twelve. To reserve your seat please call 489-1577.

The last week of January coming up!! Where has the month gone? Have a good week at whatever is on your agenda.

SCORING NEWS

Katie Parker apologizes that the results of Euchre at St. Paul's Friendship Club weren't in the paper the last few weeks. Life caught up with her busy life!! Here are the scores for two weeks. On January 11: Pat Bailey won lone hands; Norm Lee, high man; Laura Carnegie, high woman; Jeanne Keliele,

low and Pearl Cowan with the 50/50 draw. Then on January 18: Isabel Cherwenka won the 50/50 draw; Helen Lee took lone hands; Jesse Barlow, high man; Gladys Wruth, high woman and Fern Donnelly, low. Welcome back to the Friendship Club!!

Welcome also to a new group. Cribbage for Seniors is being held on Monday evenings at the Legion at 7:30 p.m. Everyone who would like to play some cribbage is welcome. Four people got together last week and Verna McDonald was high woman and high man was Roy McDonald. Roy, along with Murray Daniels, won the door prizes.

The top scorers at the Minden Legion Bid Euchre for Seniors on January 19, were: first, Trudy Kroes; second, Len Kroes; and third Georgina Parkes. Marg McAfee won lone hands. There were four moonshots taken by Marcel Roussel, Ida Young, Jack Chilton and Sharon Evans.

At Club 35 on January 18: Alf Whyman won the 50/50 draw; Murray Daniels took lone hands; high scorers were Verna Sawyer and Bill Cowen; lows were Jean Randell and Garth Windsor; Alf Whyman won the baloney. I always ask, but there were no special prizes last week.

On January 14 the weather was so inclement that only eight people showed up for Duplicate Bridge at Echo Hills. Because of the numbers they played Swiss Pairs. The winning foursome were Maria and Nick Lehoczky and Judy Neimann and Mike Collins.

The weather was great to get out in on January 20, so the numbers were still up. There were enough players for five tables of Duplicate. Mike Collins and

Nick Lehoczky were first; Russ Fair and Ross Fletcher, second; and Elva Robinson with Alex McLeod, third.

At Stanhope Library, on January 19, playing Contract Bridge, the scores were as good as they had been bad the week before. Betty Roszell was the player of the day. Two small slams were bid and made and she was the winner of both with partners Ross Davies in one and Ross Fletcher, in the other. Betty finished first also with a rousing score of 7700!!! Good work Betty!! Ross Fletcher was second with 6110 (not so bad either!!) Ross Davies was third with 5710. The guys needed Betty to help them along it seems!!

Playing Bid Euchre at Stanhope on January 20, seven moonshots were made, one of them by BOB McCONNELL. (There you go Bob!!). The top scorers were: Lottie Ruttan, 267; Bill Milford, 272; Don Burch, 279; Don White, 280; and the top winner our own Gala Stamp with 301!!

At Lochlin, on January 19 in the evening, Euchre was played as usual with great gusto!! Chris Hill was high man; and Earl Schellenberg was low. Rheta Crofts was high woman and Ezzie Dedman was low. Harold Harvie took lone hands and also the 50/50 draw.

At the Minden Legion, on January 12, playing Euchre, Carol Hill and Marcel Roussel took the lone hands for the men and the women. Vi Edgson and Lois Adamson did the same for high scorer. Pat Roussel and Harvey Bunker were the lows. Other prizes were won by Marg McAfee and May Bradbury.

It reads like a good couple of weeks of cards for a lot of people. Keep up the good times!! See you all here next week!!

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CARDS OF THANKS

Sincere thanks to the mature couple, the delivery man with the shovel and a third gentleman who helped me get out of the snowbank on County Rd. #1 about 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday last.
A Very Grateful Driver.

AT REST

CARTWRIGHT Neil George

Unexpectedly at the Peterborough Civic Hospital on Monday, January 18th, 1999 in his 72nd year. Beloved husband of the late Ruby (nee Fisher). Dear father of Andy and his wife Wendy of Stouffville, Maris and her husband Ron Sparks of Bowmanville, Pam and her husband Sean Richards of Richmond Hill. Loving grandpa of Shannon, Matthew and Katelyn. Dear brother of Gwen Partridge. Loving uncle and brother-in-law. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main Street, Minden KOM 2K0 (1-888-588-5777) from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Friday. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel on Saturday, January 23rd, 1999 at 1:30 p.m. Spring interment Gelert Cemetery. Memorial Donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF) or to the Heart & Stroke Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

AT REST

WEAVER, Garnet

Went to be with the Lord on Sunday morning, January 17, 1999 in his 59th year. Loving husband of Deanna Matthewk. Loving father of Dan (Joanne) of Kirkfield, Gloria (John Bradimore) of Cobocok and Sherry (Seppo Salminen) of Richmond Hill. Fondly remembered by his grandchildren Leiniah, Jari, Jorma, Hannah, Michael, Kai, Jared and Shannon. Loving son of the late Roy and Olga Weaver. Dear brother of Manse, Lorne, Alan, Don, Fayne and Merle. The family received friends at Faith Tabernacle, Albert Street, Cobocok on Tuesday, January 19, 1999 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service was held Wednesday morning, January 20, 1999 at 11 o'clock. Spring interment Bexley Cemetery, Bexley. As expressions of sympathy donations to Faith Tabernacle would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to the Cobocok Community Funeral Home, Cobocok, Ontario 1-800-833-4342.

FAULKNER, Florence E.

Passed away peacefully at home in Haliburton on Sunday, January 17th, 1999 in her 83rd year. Florence was the Past High Priestess of Bokhara Court #22, Member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Highlands Chapter, Haliburton and a member of the Haliburton Highlands Handweavers and Spinners Guild. Beloved wife of Frank and sister of the late Alfred Horne. Fondly remembered by her sister-in-law Kay Horne, by nephew Jim Horne and his wife Joanne, by niece Lynn and her husband Paul Dennis and great aunt of Dianne, Heather, Carey, Glen, Chris and Stephen. A special heartfelt thanks to Muriel Peters for all the love and support given. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main Street, Minden KOM 2K0 (1-888-588-5777) on Tuesday, January 19th, 1998 from 12 o'clock noon until the time of the Funeral Service at the chapel at 2 p.m. Reception to follow at the Family Centre at the Funeral Home. Spring Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Haliburton. Memorial Donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF) would be appreciated by the family.

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COOPER, Dwayne
April 27, 1970
to January 20, 1997
*Out of sight
Is not out of mind.
Great memories
Keep you in our hearts.
The love, joy and good times
You gave us Dwayne
Makes our lives easier,
Until we meet again.
Love always Dad, Mom, sister
Karen, brother Jerry, sister-in-law Nicole and nieces
Keisha and Tyra.*

BACON, Laurie - In loving memory of our daughter and sister who left us so suddenly on January 20, 1974.
*As long as we live
We will cherish her name,
In memory we see her
Ever the same,
Still in our hearts
She is living yet,
For we loved her
Too dearly to ever forget.
A beautiful memory,
dearer than gold,
Of a daughter (sister) whose worth
Can never be told.
Alive and unseen
She stands by our side,
And whispers don't grieve,
Death cannot divide.
Lovingly remembered by Mom
and Russell, Martin, Colleen,
Hartley, Brian and Elaine.*

JOHNSTON, Alvin Carl - In loving memory of a dear little son and brother who left us January 16, 1964 in his 7th year.
*Every day we miss him
Sadly do we feel his loss,
Lonely is our home without him
Help us Lord to bear the cross.
Little Alvin has gone to be an angel
Secure in our Father's care,
And his dear little feet now pattered along
The beautiful streets up there.
So dearly loved and missed
by Mom, brother and sister.*

IRVINE, Hazel - In loving memory of a dear wife, mother and grandmother who passed away January 21, 1997.
*We miss you so in oh so many ways,
We miss the things you used to say,
And when old times we do recall,
Its then we miss you most of all.
Sadly missed by Jack, Kathy,
Debbie & families.*

IN MEMORIAM

**To A Special Aunt
Hazel Irvine**
who passed away on January 21, 1997.
*Our thoughts are always with you,
Your place no one can fill,
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we love you still.
We know you walk beside us,
And when life is through,
We pray that God will take
our hand
And lead us straight to you.
Always remembered,
Craig, Barb, Adam & Kristen
Wood.*

IRVINE, Hazel - In loving memory of a dear aunt who left me on January 21, 1997 whom I miss dearly.
*The person who was so dear to me,
Has up and gone away.
I want to tell her from my heart,
Just what I have to say.
You're missed so very dearly
As you're missed so every day
Your memories will still grow stronger
In each and every way.
As you were so very special,
To me and you will always be,
One Special Aunt who was always there
Which means something very special to me.
Remembered always by
your niece JoAnne.*

In loving memory of:
Hazel Irvine - January 21, 1997
Cleveland Stamp - March 25, 1993
Genevieve Cooper - December 30, 1991
Leon Stamp - October 12, 1973
*Though their smiles are gone forever,
And their hands we cannot touch
Still we have so many memories
Of the ones we loved so much.
Their memory is our keepsake,
With which we'll never part,
God has them in His keeping,
We have them in our hearts.
Sadly missed and never forgotten by:
Glen & Ester,
Bob & Shirley
Frank & Brenda
Dennis & Marilyn.*

PAQUETTE, Sherry - January 24, 1997.
*This month comes with sad regret
That brings a day I can't forget,
You passed away without good-bye
But my memories of you will never die.
I miss you more than anyone knows,
As each day passes, the emptiness grows,
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PAQUETTE, Sherlyn - January 24, 1997.
Though tears in our eyes do not glisten
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There is never a night or a morning
But we think of the daughter
and mother we lost.
Not a day do we forget you
In our hearts you are always there,
For we loved you and miss you
As it ends the second year.
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Our thoughts are ever with you
Though you have passed away,
And those who love you dearly
Are thinking of you today.
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MISCIO, Annie - In loving memory of Mom who passed away January 27, 1993.
Though her smile has gone forever
And her hands we cannot touch
We have so many memories of Mom
Whom we loved so much.
Her memory is our keepsake,
With which we'll never part
God has her in His keeping
We have her in our hearts.
Dearly loved and sadly missed
by **daughter Gladys & family.**

IN MEMORIAM

MISCIO, Annie - In memory of Mom who left us January 27, 1993.
Mom went away without farewell
She said goodbye to none,
The Heaven's gate was open
And a loving voice said "Come"
Yes, sadly I miss her
And try not to grieve,
A little while longer
We too must leave
To meet her on that beautiful shore.
Dearly loved and missed
by **daughter Ruby & family.**

MISCIO, Annie - In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother who passed on January 27, 1993.
Two tired eyes are sleeping
Two willing hands are still,
For one who worked so hard
Is resting in God's will.
You never said goodbye to us
I know it's just as well,
We never could have said goodbye
To a Mom we loved so well.
Sadly missed and forever loved,
by **daughter Nell & families.**

IN MEMORIAM

MISCIO, Annie - In loving memory of a dear Mother who passed away January 27, 1993.
Tenderly we treasure the past,
Memories that will ever last,
When I come to think of you
Will be when God has called me too.
If teardrops could build a stairway
And memory a lane,
I'd walk the long road to reach her
And bring her home again.
Sadly missed and lovingly remembered
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STATA, Mary & Albert
In loving memory of a dear mother who passed away January 26, 1997 and a dear father who passed away January 22, 1998.
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